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DEVICE CARRIER, AND METHOD FOR POST-LMC FLUID PROCESSING

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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REPLY TO ACTION OF MARCH 23, 2006

In reply to the Office Action of March 23, 2006, applicants submit the following remarks.

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